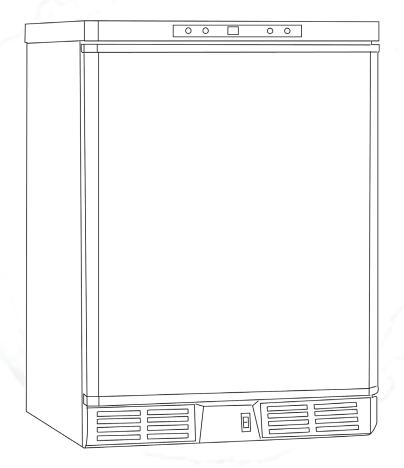
# Vinotemp

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# COMPACT REFRIGERATOR

VT-ODSBREF

OWNER'S MANUAL



#### **GENERAL OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

Remove all external and internal packaging from your appliance. Be sure that all parts have been included before discarding any packaging materials. You may want to keep the box and packing materials for use at a later date.

Upon receipt and inspection of unit, the supply cord must be replaced if it is damaged. Contact our customer service at 1-800-777-8466 or info@vinotemp.com.

READ <u>ALL</u> INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING THIS APPLIANCE -Save these instructions-



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# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock or injury when using your appliance, follow these basic precautions:

- Do not operate this or any other appliance with a damaged cord.
- Connect to properly polarized outlets only. No other appliance should be plugged into the same outlet. Be sure that the plug is fully inserted into the receptacle.
- Do not run cord over carpeting or other heat insulators; do not cover cord. Keep cord away from trafficked areas.
- We do not recommend the use of an extension cord, as it may overheat and become a fire risk.
- Always unplug the appliance before cleaning it or making repairs.
- Exercise caution and use reasonable supervision when appliance is used near children. Never allow children to operate, play with or crawl inside the appliance.
- Do not clean appliance with flammable fluids. Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance. The fumes can create a fire hazard or explosion.
- Do not use solvent-based cleaning agents or abrasives on the interior. These cleaners may damage or discolor the interior.
- Do not operate with housing panels removed.
- Intended for household use only.
- When disposing of refrigerated appliances, special handling is often required. It is the consumer's responsibility to comply with federal and local regulations when disposing of this product.
- To ensure proper ventilation for your appliance, the front of the unit must be completely unobstructed. For use in a controlled ambient location such that the ambient temperature does not exceed 90°F (32°C) and is not below 60°F (16°C).
- Do not attempt to repair or replace any part of your appliance unless it is specifically recommended in this manual. All other servicing should be referred to a qualified technician.
- Locate the unit away from direct sunlight and sources of heat (stove, heater, radiator, etc).
- To protect against electric shock, do not immerse appliance, plug or cord in water or other liquids. Avoid locating the unit in moist areas.
- Do not use this appliance for other than its intended purpose.
- **WARNING:** Risk of child entrapment and suffocation. Before you throw away this or an old unit, take off the door. Leave the shelves in place, so that children may not easily climb inside.



## **ELECTRICAL CONNECTION**



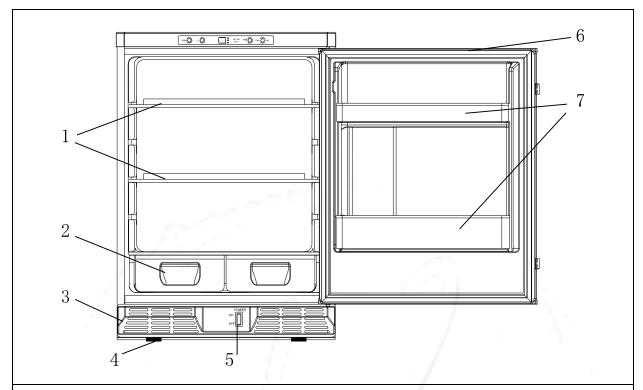
Improper use of the grounded plug can result in the risk of electrical shock. If the power cord is damaged, have it replaced by an authorized service center.

- This unit should be properly grounded for your safety. The power cord of this unit is equipped with a three-prong plug which mates with standard three prong wall outlets to minimize the possibility of electrical shock.
- Do not under any circumstances cut or remove the third ground prong from the power cord supplied. For personal safety, this appliance must be properly grounded.
- The cord should be secured behind the unit and not left exposed or dangling to prevent accidental injury.
- Never unplug the unit by pulling the power cord. To disconnect the appliance, always grip the plug firmly and pull straight out from the wall outlet.
- Repair or replace immediately all power cords that have become frayed or otherwise damaged. Do not use a cord that shows cracks or abrasion damage along its length or at either end. When moving the unit, be careful not to damage the power cord.

#### **Extension Cord**

 It is not recommended to use this appliance with an extension cord or power board. Please ensure that the appliance is plugged directly into the electrical outlet.

# **PARTS AND SPECIFICATIONS**



- 1 · GLASS SHELF (2)
- 2 · CRISPER DRAWERS WITH GLASS LID (2)
- 3 · FRONT GRILL
- 4 · CASTERS WITH BRAKES (4).
- 5 \ POWER SWITCH
- 6 · DOOR
- 7 · DOOR BINS

Model No.	VT-ODSBREF
Power (Voltage/Frequency)	115V/60Hz
Rated Current	1.82A
Power Input	100W
Power Consumption	1.15 kW.h/24h
Refrigerant	R134a
Capacity	5.3 Cu. Ft.
Ambient Temperature Range	40°F - 110°F
Control Temperature Range	32°F - 50°F
Dimensions (W x D x H)	23.6" x 23.6" x 33.5"

# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

#### **Before Using Your Unit**

- Remove the exterior and interior packing.
- Check to be sure you have all of the following parts:
  - 2 Glass Shelves
  - 2 Crisper Drawers
  - 1 Crisper Glass Lid
  - 1 Instruction Manual
  - 4 Casters with Brakes
- Before connecting the unit to the power source, let it stand upright for approximately 2 hours. This will reduce the possibility of a malfunction in the cooling system from handling during transportation.
- Clean the interior surface with lukewarm water using a soft cloth.

#### **BUILT - IN INSTALLATION**

- This unit has been designed for either freestanding or built-in installation.
- When built in, it does not require additional clearance for top, sides or rear. However, the front grill must not be obstructed.

#### **OUTDOOR USE**

- High ambient temperature over 110° F (43.4° C) may reduce the unit's ability to reach low inner temperatures.
- The same applies if the ambient temperature drops below 40° F (4.4° C).
- It is recommended that the unit be shut off in temperature outside these limits.

#### **CASTERS INSTALLATION**

- Install the four casters provided into the unit's bottom four threaded holes supplied.
- In order to release or lock the brake, follow the guide.





#### **Installing Your Unit**

- Place your unit on a floor that is strong enough to support the unit when it is fully loaded. To level your unit, adjust the leveling leg at the bottom of the unit.
- Locate the unit away from sources of heat (stove, heater, radiator, etc.). Heat sources may increase electrical consumption. Extreme cold ambient temperatures may also cause the unit not to perform properly.
- Avoid locating the unit in moist areas.
- Plug the unit into an exclusive, properly installed-grounded wall outlet. Do not under any circumstances cut or remove the third (ground) prong from the power cord. Any questions concerning power and/or grounding should be directed toward a certified electrician or an authorized Vinotemp service center.
- After plugging the appliance into a wall outlet, allow the unit to cool down for 2-3 hours before placing food in the refrigerator compartment.

# **OPERATING YOUR UNIT**

### **Setting the Temperature Control**



- To adjust temperature, use the UP/DOWN buttons on the control panel.
- With one press of button, Buzzer sounds one time and indicator light turns on.
- Rapid Cool feature helps bring the temperature of your fridge down quickly and is
  especially useful when the door has recently been opened or new non-cool items have
  been added to fridge. Press the "Rapid cool" button for 1 second to turn on Rapid Cool
  mode. Machine goes into rapid cool operation, when temp reaches 38°F, "rapid cool"
  completes.
- Pressing the "Rapid cool" button again will also end the "rapid cold" function.
- Use the C/F button to toggle the temperature display between Celsius and Fahrenheit.

#### Note:

- Please allow 24 to 48 hours for the unit to cool to proper temperature on first use.
- To turn the appliance off, turn the switch at the bottom of the refrigerator to "OFF".



## CARE AND MAINTENANCE

#### **Cleaning Your Unit**

- Turn the temperature control to "OFF," unplug the unit, and remove contents (food, shelves, and trays).
- Wash the inside surfaces with a warm water and baking soda solution. The solution should be about 2 tablespoons of baking soda to a quart of water.
- Wash the shelves and trays with a mild detergent solution.
- The outside of the unit should be cleaned with mild detergent and warm water.
- Wring excess water out of the sponge or cloth before cleaning the area of the controls, or any electrical parts.
- Wash the outside cabinet with warm water and mild liquid detergent. Rinse well and wipe dry with a clean soft cloth.

#### **Automatic Defrosting**

There is no need to defrost the refrigerator. Defrost water collects and passes thru the drain outlet in the rear wall into a tray located above the compressor, where it evaporates.

**NOTE:** If the unit is unplugged, power lost, or turned off; you must wait 3 to 5 minutes before restarting the unit. If you attempt to restart before this time delay, the refrigerator will not start.

#### **Power Failure**

Most power failures are corrected within a few hours and should not affect the temperature of your unit if you minimize the number of times the door is opened. If the power is going to be off for a longer period of time, you need to take the proper steps to protect your food.

#### **Vacation Time**

- **Short vacations:** Leave the unit operating during vacations of less than three weeks.
- **Long vacations:** If the appliance will not be used for several months, remove all food and unplug the power cord. Clean and dry the interior thoroughly. To prevent odor and mold growth, leave the door open slightly: blocking it open if necessary.

#### **Moving Your Unit**

- Remove all the food.
- Securely tape down all loose items inside your unit.
- Turn the leveling screw up to the base to avoid damage.
- Tape the door shut.
- Be sure the unit stays secure in the upright position during transportation. Also protect the outside of unit with a blanket, or similar item.

## **Energy Saving Tips**

- The unit should be located in the coolest area of the room, away from heat producing appliances, and out of the direct sunlight.
- Let hot foods cool to room temperature before placing in the unit. Overloading the unit forces the compressor to run longer.
- Be sure to wrap foods properly, and wipe containers dry before placing them in the unit. This cuts down on frost build-up inside the unit.
- Unit storage bin should not be lined with aluminum foil, wax paper, or paper toweling. Liners interfere with cold air circulation, making the unit less efficient.
- Organize and label food to reduce door openings and extended searches. Remove as many items as needed at one time, and close the door as soon as possible.

# PROBLEMS WITH YOUR UNIT

You can solve many common unit problems easily, saving you the cost of a possible service call. Try the suggestions below to see if you can solve the problem before contacting Vinotemp at info@vinotemp.com.

#### TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE
Unit does not operate.	<ul> <li>Not plugged in.</li> <li>The circuit breaker tripped or a fuse is blown.</li> <li>The unit temperature control is set at "OFF" position.</li> </ul>
Unit turns on and off frequently.	<ul> <li>The room temperature is hotter than normal.</li> <li>A large amount of food has recently been added to the unit. Give the unit time to adjust.</li> <li>The door is opened too often.</li> <li>The door is not closed completely.</li> <li>The temperature control is not set correctly.</li> <li>The door gasket does not seal properly.</li> <li>The unit does not have the correct clearances.</li> </ul>
Vibrations.	Check to assure that the unit is level.
Unit makes too much noise.	<ul> <li>The rattling noise may come from the flow of the refrigerant, which is normal.</li> <li>As each cycle ends, you may hear gurgling sounds caused by the flow of refrigerant in your unit.</li> <li>Contraction and expansion of the inside walls may cause popping and crackling noises.</li> <li>The unit is not level.</li> </ul>
Door will not close properly.	<ul> <li>The unit is not level.</li> <li>The door was reversed and not properly installed.</li> <li>The gasket is dirty.</li> <li>The shelves, bins, or baskets are out of position.</li> </ul>

# TERMS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

Vinotemp International ("Seller") and the person or entity that acquires these goods from Seller ("Purchaser") hereby fully agree to the following terms and conditions of the sale: Shipping fees are the responsibility of the Purchaser whether freight prepaid or freight collect. Seller assumes no responsibility for the goods sold to the Purchaser once the goods have left the Seller's premises, including, but not limited to, late delivery by the moving carrier, or for events caused by any difficulty carrier incurs in attempting to fit the goods into the Purchaser's place of business or residence due to the size of the goods or otherwise. Purchaser assumes all responsibility for delivery, payment of freight, access, measurement, installation, hook-up, wiring, moving and storage of the goods. The transportation of all goods is subject to the terms and conditions which the moving carrier imposes on Purchaser including, but not limited to, additional charges imposed per flight of stairs, and/or additional charges resulting from the carrier's inability to safely and/or adequately use the building elevator to lift the goods to an upper floor. Any claim for damages incurred during shipment by the carrier of the goods are insured and handled directly with the carrier. Any damages due to manufacture defects will be handled directly with Vinotemp International, subject to the limited warranty.

All sales are final, and unless authorized in writing by the Seller, Purchaser may not return the goods, under any circumstance. If Purchaser refuses to accept the goods, under any circumstance, the Purchaser is liable for the return and cost of freight both ways, and if Seller does take back the goods, there will be a restocking charge that is 35% of the purchase price of the goods. Purchaser must notify Seller of non-conforming goods within four days of delivery, after which time all goods are deemed accepted.

If Purchaser tenders payment with a check that has insufficient funds (NSF), or stops payment on a check or credit card for any reason, Purchaser agrees to pay for all costs associated with the Seller's connection or litigation of such a claim, including without limitation extra damages, court costs and attorneys' fees. Finance charges begin the date of invoice. Collection fees plus NSF fee of \$50 will be added to your invoice, which you agree to promptly pay. Title to the goods does not pass until payment is received in full by Seller and Seller retains a security interest in the goods until they are paid for in full.

LIMITED WARRANTY: Seller warrants that the goods will be free of defects in materials and workmanship as follows: Metal cabinets and similar compressor-based systems including wine, beverage, refrigerator, beer dispensers, ice makers, and freezer units: parts and labor for cooling system and cabinetry for a period of 12 (twelve) months from date of sale, removal and re-installation of unit is not included in warranty. For a scratch and dent or refurbished unit, warranty is 3 months from your dated invoice (parts for function only, not cosmetic). There is no warranty on parts purchased separately. Purchaser's exclusive remedy is limited, at Seller's option; to repair or replace defective part[s] with either new or factory reconditioned part[s]. Purchaser is responsible for shipping the unit pre-paid to designated facility and Seller will pay return shipping charges in the continental United States for items repaired under warranty within 12 months from date of sale. Improper placement of the unit will void the warranty. This limited warranty does not cover damage due to such things as accident, misuse, abuse, mishandling, neglect, acts of God, fires, earthquakes, floods, high winds, government, war, riot or labor trouble, strikes, lockouts, delay of carrier, unauthorized repair, or any other cause beyond the control of the Seller, whether similar or dissimilar to the foregoing. Seller is not responsible for any damages caused to Seller's property resulting from the good. This limited warranty applies only inside the Continental US. (Alaska, Puerto Rico and Hawaii are not warranted).

Purchaser understands and acknowledges that the goods sold here are beer dispensers and/or other similar units which house beverages. Purchaser assumes all risk of using these units, including risk of spoilage, humidity variations, temperature variations, leaks, fire, water damage, mold, mildew, dryness and similar and any other perils that might occur.

Seller is not responsible for incidental or consequential damages, and there are no warranties, expressed or implied, which extend beyond the Limited Warranty described above. The implied warranties of merchantability and of fitness for a particular purpose are hereby expressly disclaimed. Some states do not allow the exclusion of incidental or consequential damages, or a waiver of the implied warranties of fitness and/or merchantability, so the above limitations may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

In the event of any dispute between Seller and Purchaser arising out of or relating to these terms and conditions or to the goods sold generally, Purchaser must first file a written claim with Seller within ten days of the occurrence giving rise to the claim and wait an additional thirty days for a response before initiating any legal action. The sale and all terms are subject to California law. Any legal proceeding arising out of or relating to these terms and conditions or to the goods sold generally shall be brought solely and exclusively in the County of Los Angeles. In no event may Purchaser initiate any legal proceeding more than six months after the occurrence of the event giving rise to the dispute.

The above terms and conditions are the only ones governing this transaction and Seller makes no oral representations of any kind. These Terms and Conditions can only be modified in writing, signed by both Purchaser and Seller. 07/08

# **SERVICE & IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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The manufacturer has a policy of continuous improvement on its products and reserves the right to change materials and specifications without notice.

WARNING:
Please do not place the unit within reach of children.
For adult use only.

Contact **info@vinotemp.com** with any questions or visit: www.vinotemp.com



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